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bill right now, as far as the preacher program is concerned, would be an improvident, even a profligate, profligate, I would ask Senator Erdman how we should really pronounce it, but I won't draw him into this, expenditure and it should not be made. What I am saying is that since the Legislature has so little regard for the public schools, let us not waste any money on them and that satisfies you. I don't think we ought to waste money for these church schools, public money, so give me that and satisfy me. You get over a hundred...you get over a million dollars out of this deal. I get a mere 750,000. So I think that's a good deal any kind of way you look at it, and we leave the situation right now the way that it stands. When we get on that other bill, I'm going to refer from time to time back to what we have done with this budget bill and that's why I've stayed on it. My mantra, mantra will be, remember what you did on the budget bill. You wanted to waste that money. Well, there is not money available for what you're trying to do now. You wanted to keep that loan forgiveness program. You want to keep this money to these private schools. So that makes it easier not to do anything on LB 305 other than what I want to do and that is to kill it. And I feel no animosity or hostility towards LB 305, but I feel animosity and hostility towards some administrators of the public school system in Omaha, and since they are the ones who are going to gain from LB 305, they are the ones who will be rewarded for their wrongful conduct, I've got to fight LB 305. To give you something to think about, since you don't want to think about what I'm talking about, remove Class V schools from the operation of LB 305. Then let me and the public schools in Omaha battle this out, but you probably won't do that. I haven't handed it around yet but I have some additional... I have an additional handout for you that's in the form of a packet. Then I have individual I'm going to show you all that when I tell you I've handouts. got articles dealing with the situation, I really do and that the articles confirm what I've said. The cover of this one has a picture of a self-satisfied gentleman and the writing on the front of it says, Sordid, tawdry little tale of an unscrupulous cad's scheming, deception, misrepresentation, outright lying and contract-breaking--truly, a "man of ...

SPEAKER KRISTENSEN: One minute.